TOTAL A 8:5%





24th September 2007

Office of International Corporate Finance Division of Corporation Finance Securities and Exchange Commission 450 Fifth Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20549 SUPPL

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Re: The Morgan Crucible Company plc - File No. 82-3387

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The enclosed material is furnished pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) on behalf of The Morgan Crucible Company plc (the 'Company'), File No.82-3387.

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Sincerely,

Tracey Bigmore

**Assistant Company Secretary** 

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## TR-1: NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached:  The Morgan Crucipic		ole Company
2. Reason for notification (yes/no)		
An acquisition or disposal of voting rights		Yes
An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights	•	
An event changing the breakdown of voting rights		
Other (please specify):		
3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation:	Legal & General Gro	up Plc (L&G)
4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.):	Legal & General Assur Management) Lim	
5. Date of the transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different):	19/09/2007	
6. Date on which issuer notified:	21/09/20	07
7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:	From 3% - 4%	(L&G)

8. Notified details:			
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A: Voting rights attached to shares			
Class/type of shares	Situation previous to the Triggering transaction	Resulting situation after the triggering transaction	

if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of Shares	Number of Voting	Number of shares	Number of rights	of voting	% of votin	g rights
		Rights	Direct	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect
Ord 25p	10,158,815	10,158,815	12,607,506	12,607,506		4.54	

B: Financial Instruments  Resulting situation after the triggering transaction				
Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise/ Conversion Period/ Date	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights

Total (A+B)		
Number of voting rights	% of voting rights	
12,607,506	4.54	

# 9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable:

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct and Indirect) (Group)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings) Limited (LGIMH) (Direct and Indirect)

Legal & General Investment Management Limited (Indirect) (LGIM)

Legal & General Group Plc (Direct) (L&G) (12,607,506 – 4.54% = LGAS, LGPL & PMC)

Legal & General Investment Management (Holdings)
Limited (Direct) (LGIMHD) (11,248,736-4.05%=PMC)

Legal & General Insurance Holdings Limited (Direct) (LGIH)

Legal & General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited (PMC) (11,248,736 – 4.05% = PMC) Legal & General Assurance Society Limited (LGAS & LGPL)

Legal & General Pensions Limited (Direct) (LGPL)

Proxy Voting:	
10. Name of the proxy holder:	N/A
11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:	N/A
12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:	N/A

13. Additional information:	Notification using the total voting rights figure of 277,314,680
14. Contact name:	Mrs T A Bigmore
15. Contact telephone number:	01753 837000

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82-3387

### TR-1(i): NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

1. Identity of the issuer or the underlying issuer of existing shares to which voting rights are attached (ii):

The Morgan Crucible Company plc

2. Reason for the notification (please state Yes/No): ( )

An acquisition or disposal of voting rights: (Y)

An acquisition or disposal of financial instruments which may result in the acquisition of shares already issued to which voting rights are attached: (N)

An event changing the breakdown of voting rights: (N)

Other (please specify): (N) Disclosure for transparency purposes

3. Full name of person(s) subject to the notification obligation (iii):

Standard Life Investments Ltd

4. Full name of shareholder(s) (if different from 3.) (iv):

Vidacos Nominees

5. Date of the transaction (and date on which the threshold is crossed or reached if different) (v):

21 September 2007

6. Date on which issuer notified:

24 September 2007

7. Threshold(s) that is/are crossed or reached:

14%

8. Notified details:

A: Voting rights attached to shares

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN

Situation previous to the Triggering transaction (vi)

CODE

GB0006027295 39,948,819 39,948,819 Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (vii) Class/type of shares if Number of shares Number of voting rights (ix) % of voting rights possible using the ISIN 38,408,863 CODE **Direct** Indirect Direct Direct Indirec 35,191,273 3,217,590 12.690% 1.160% **B:** Financial Instruments Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (xii) **Exercise/Conversion** Type of **Expiration Date** Number of voting % of voting financial (xiii) Period/ Date (xiv) rights that may be rights instrument acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted. Total (A+B) Number of voting % of voting rights rights 38,408,863 13.850% 9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable (xv): Standard Life Investments Ltd **Proxy Voting:** 10. Name of the proxy holder: . . . . . . . . . 11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold: ...... 12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights: 13. Additional information: 14. Contact name:

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Number of shares

Number of voting Rights

(viii)

Mrs I A Bigmore

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